

Patient Participation Group

Meeting Date: 5th June 2017

Time: 1300-1400

Attendance: Dr Adnan Tariq – GP (AT), Raziya Jennings (RJ), Mary Telford (MT), Sarfraz Khan (SK), Christine Luckey (CL), Carl White (CaW), Carol Abell (CA), Lily Langwade (LL), Linda Harris (LH)

Apologies received: Julie Trigg - Operations Manager (JT), Lesley Barlow (LB), Richard Poynter (RP), Tony King (TK)

Agenda Item	Minutes
Review of previous meeting minutes	No issues from previous months minutes. CaW explained not received previous months minutes. AT explained these are available to view on the PPG Board in the main waiting area and also now online on the BMC website.
CGL/ASPIRE talk CGL = Change, Grow, Live	<p>Claire and Joe from CGL, who currently are commissioned to provide the drug and alcohol service for substance misuse, kindly attended the meeting to discuss what CGL does and the services it offers. They also helped PPG on ideas to resolve the inappropriate use of the toilets in the building.</p> <p>Claire and Joe explained the services available in Peterborough for patients who have substance dependency, which includes drugs, prescription drugs and alcohol.</p> <p>CGL have 5 GP practice based clinics from which they can get referrals and then have Hubs in Peterborough where the service is delivered.</p> <p>At present CGL have 1000 patients accessing treatment. Those accessing treatment are offered Hepatitis-B vaccinations and to promote compliance CGL offer a £5 voucher scheme for every vaccination kept to.</p> <p>CGL also offer NALOXONE kits to service users who can use these kits in cases of substance overdose or to reverse the effects of opiates/substance misuse.</p> <p>Claire and Joe also explained their GP practice based clinics can review patients with opiate addictions including co-codamol addiction.</p> <p>CGL also currently attend the Safer Peterborough Partnership meeting with Peterborough City Council and discuss any current issues. AT asked if the inappropriate drug use in BMC toilets could be highlighted which CGL will take forward. CGL explained given city center location this is likely the reason but agreed with the PPG plans to put up more direct posters to address the issue and hopefully deter people from using drugs on BMC premises.</p> <p>Clair and Joe explained the use of recreational drugs like heroin and cocaine are illegal. In CGL premises toilets are locked and not allowed for use unless given a key to the service user. Claire and Joe would recommend a similar</p>

	<p>approach for BMC to tackle its issue. CGL have zero tolerance on drug use in its premises and also advised to contact the police should this be suspected.</p> <p>PPG agreed for BMC to have zero tolerance and new wording on more direct posters to be placed in the toilets to deter people from inappropriate use of BMC facilities.</p>
BMC current situation and services update	<p>AT updated on current BMC position in regards to prescription scripts, telephones and new services. No issues arose from PPG.</p> <p>AT discussed coffee mornings held in BMC first Wednesday of every month and proving to be very successful with patients.</p> <p>AT explained practice closure as instructed by the CCG and dates will be advertised. Practice closure will occur after 1300 on a quarterly basis and Primary Care medical cover will be provided via 111/Out of Hours service. AT reassured the dates for the practice closures will be advertised with advance notice. First date scheduled for 7th June 2017</p>
Any other business	No issues raised.
Summary and close	AT thanked all for attending. Next meeting THURSDAY 6 th JULY 2017.